

## What Goes On . . .

Sat., Aug. 3, 9-11 a.m. Summer Daily Class Registration, Greenbelt Youth Center

Sun., Aug. 4, 7 p.m. Greenbelt Concert Band, "Buddy" At-tick Park

Mon., Aug. 5, 9:30-10:30 a.m. Summer Daily Class Registration, Greenbelt Youth Center

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# News Review

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## . . . And More

Mon., Aug. 5, 7:30 p.m. Board of Elections Meeting, Municipal Building

Wed., Aug. 7, 8 p.m. Council Worksession with Macris, Hendricks & Witmer, engineering firm for Roosevelt Center

Thurs., Aug. 8, 8 p.m. GHI Board of Directors Meeting, Hamilton Pl.

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## Outstanding Citizen

# Joyce Chestnut Epitomizes Our Unrecognized Volunteers

by Joe Timer

A community is often measured by the depth of its cadre of citizen volunteers. Such volunteer service benefits the community and is a measure of the community's (and the individual's) caring nature and generosity. Last year's outstanding citizen — Joyce Chestnut — epitomizes the activities of Greenbelt's many unrecognized volunteers, because like them, she has contributed countless hours of unpublicized service. This co-founder and two-time president of the Springhill Lake Civic Association is also a valued member of the City's Advisory Planning Board and a long-time church volunteer.

When asked about her reaction to being selected Greenbelt's outstanding citizen, Chestnut responded, "I was surprised, humbled and felt undeserving of the award because of the large number of other volunteers in Greenbelt."

Chestnut, who enjoys volunteer work, has been active all her life. She was raised in a family where community involvement was an integral part of their lives. As a youth, she was deeply involved in 4-H. A member of the chorus and band, she also played softball and basketball in school.

Church involvement has also been a constant throughout her life. "In our small country church in Iowa," she mused, "it was common knowledge that church services did not begin until our family arrived! I played the organ. My father and one sister were soloists. My two brothers were acolytes and my mother taught Sunday school."

Chestnut encourages others not active to consider getting involved. "It's much more than attending meetings! While volunteering helps others, it's also mutually rewarding. Individuals can contribute in many different ways—through their hands or through their minds."

There are opportunities to teach others and have a positive influence on others."

Balancing work and a myriad of civic, professional and church activities requires commitment and good scheduling. Chestnut is now working a second job weekends plus dealing with the demands of working for a U.S. Senator. Nevertheless, she notes that Greenbelt represents an environment conducive to volunteerism.

When asked if she was the exception in Springhill Lake, Joyce Chestnut responded, "I'm not alone! There are others like me who work just as hard." She noted that she had worked previously with Jose Morales, another dedicated resident from Springhill Lake who was also named outstanding citizen. Chestnut enjoys the companionship and stimulation of being around and involved with other concerned, outgoing volunteers.

## Nominations Due Soon

Help the committee identify Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizen for 1991! Complete the Nomination form elsewhere in this paper and help to recognize someone whose volunteer efforts have helped make Greenbelt a pleasant place to live.

## County Schools Set Dates To Register New Students

The Department of Guidance Services of the Prince Georges County Schools has designated four days for registration of new students at all middle and high schools. To avoid long lines and delays during the first weeks of school, parents should register new students August 5, 12, 19, and 26.

One guidance counselor at each middle school and two at each high school will be available. For information about registration times, please call the individual school. For information about school attendance areas, call 952-6300.

Each new student must be accompanied by a parent or guardian and have (1) immunization records, (2) birth certificate, (3) proof of residence, (4) transcript of report cards, and (5) recent standardized test scores.

## Board of Elections

The city's Board of Elections will meet on Monday, August 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building to discuss election issues that relate to the board's responsibilities.

## Motor Vehicle Fees Increased August 1

The recently concluded special session of the General Assembly enacted many fee changes for services provided by the Motor Vehicle Administration. The most significant of the changes which took effect August 1 are the title fee for new and used vehicles and the fee for salvage certificates; these will increase to \$12 collected at the time the vehicle title transaction is processed. Additionally, the fee for filing each lien on titles has been increased to \$20.

# November Ballot Will Ask Voters Advice on Four-Year Council Term

by Diane Oberg

The Greenbelt City Council moved a step closer to asking for voter support for doubling council terms to four years and to establishing public areas for campaign signs at its July 15 regular meeting. Mayor pro-tem Thomas X. White's proposed changes to the city's campaign finance law died when no other councilmember would second White's motion.

## Four-Year Terms

Council unanimously approved a motion to place an advisory question on the November ballot asking voters whether council terms should be doubled to four years. Council struggled during a recent work session to find a way to place a binding question upon the ballot. However, City Solicitor Robert Manzi advised council that the only way a binding question can be placed on the ballot is by a citizen petition.

Citizen petitions became much harder to undertake in January 1990 when the universal registration law took effect. Under the law, any city resident registered with the county board of elections is eligible to vote in city elections. By increasing the number of eligible voters, this law increases the number of signatures required to force a referendum. The council members were unwilling to increase their terms without voter support, but doubted that citizens would petition the change to referendum.

James Foy, chair of the Greenbelt East Advisory Coalition, presented that organization's petition supporting placing the advisory question on the ballot.

"No. No. A thousand times no!" said Eunice Coxon to the idea of extending the terms. She urged continuation of the two-year term but did not oppose the advisory question. Rodney Roberts and Charles Hagelgans also opposed the four-year

terms. Hagelgans noted that there has been great stability on council even with two-year terms.

## Staggering?

If the council term is extended, council must also decide whether all five council members should be elected every four years, or whether the terms should be staggered with some council members elected every two years.

Sheldon Goldberg favored four-year terms with staggered elections to retain accountability. Gerald Madison opposed staggering the council terms, which he said would cause delays while new council members are brought up to speed.

Dorothy Pyles noted that the 1991 campaigns started two months ago. Now that the election is in November, she predicted that council would not "get rolling" until January. Barry Schlesinger disagreed. While he preferred the increased accountability offered by two-year terms, if the terms are extended, Schlesinger favored staggered terms. He requested careful council attention to the format of the ballot question to ensure an unambiguous result.

Leonie Penney had a different solution to the problem of increasing campaign costs. She suggested doubling council salaries (currently at \$5,000 per year for council members, \$6,000 for the mayor) and retaining the two-year terms.

## Signs

On a four to one vote, with White opposed, council directed staff to prepare a specific proposal detailing how the city could set aside public land for the posting of campaign signs and how the city could administer these areas. In return for the use of the land, the candidates would agree not to post signs on private land. This would limit candidates to approximately eight signs, reducing "sign pollution," according to council member Joseph Isaacs. Mayor Gil Weidenfeld said that a sign limitation would also reduce the costs to candidates of a council campaign.

The council members were not agreed on how the agreement would work. Weidenfeld said that it would not be effective unless a majority of candidates signed. Isaacs saw the public area as

an option available to candidates, even if only a few candidates were interested. He expressed his intention to challenge any candidate not complying with the limits at the candidates forums.

Judy Ott called this "intimidation" and opposed the agreement as infringing on the First Amendment. While she did not object to setting aside the land, or to all candidates discussing the idea after filing, she considered current council discussion of a sign limitation agreement "inappropriate."

Ott's concern that council should not discuss any limitation on signs was shared by Keith Jahoda. Rodney Roberts, who ran for council in 1989, downplayed the environmental benefits of the policy. He said that candidates who do not join in the agreement should not be made out as bad people for exercising their constitutional rights.

City solicitor Manzi advised council that council action is required to permit use of public land for campaign signs. He said that council can establish procedures for administering the set aside areas, but cannot make the sign limitation idea an official city policy or in any way restrict the posting of signs on private property.

## Incentive?

Leonie Penney looked forward to not having to either agree to post candidates' signs or be concerned about the effect of refusing a request from a candidate who later wins election.

Council member Antoinette M. Bram, although supporting the motion, doubted that the proposed policy would work. She asked, "What's the challenger's incentive to cooperate?" Weidenfeld argued that since challengers' signs are usually far outnumbered by those of incumbents, the policy would offer a more level field. By cutting the number of signs to eight, candidates will be encouraged to make their own signs, rather than purchasing lots of 100 or more.

White countered that signs are not a major campaign cost. He said the most expensive items are News Review ads, which he termed "a sort of pol-

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## News Review

### Office Hours

Monday 2-4 p.m. copy, ads  
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## Letters to the Editor

### Thanks

We wish to express our deep appreciation to our dear neighbors, the Ladies of Charity and Father Crowley of St. Hugh's Catholic Church, for their kindness and help in our time of sorrow.

God bless you all.

Lorraine and Al Nuzzo

### Thanks

As the mother of one of the servicemen who served in Desert Storm, I wish to express my appreciation to the city of Greenbelt and to all who were responsible for the tribute to the servicemen and women of Greenbelt on July 4 of this year.

Usually we attend fireworks and celebrate Independence Day in Baltimore County where we have family. However, this year was the exception, and we enjoyed the whole show—including the band's performance, the spectacular fireworks show and getting together with our neighbors and friends here in Greenbelt—as much or more than past performances in Baltimore.

Our hats off to those responsible for a good time and a grand fireworks display.

Angie Evans

### City Notes

The streets crew cleaned storm drains, picked up brush and roadside debris, hauled sand to the new volleyball court and top soil to the Greenbelt Aquatics and Fitness Center, and continued resurfacing Research Road.

The special details crew painted traffic lines, worked on the Public Works Facility, and did traffic counts.

The parks crew installed a new bus shelter at center.

The horticulturist's crew worked on chipping trees that fell during the storm, fertilizing and watering flower beds, and landscaping at the City Office.

The building maintenance crew hung cabinets and cleaned the carpet at the Police Facility and worked on the air conditioning at the Youth Center.

Staff participated in a work session at the Maryland Municipal League Conference, and held a Recycling Committee meeting. Special Trash is current.

### Thanks

The family of Eileen Labukas gratefully acknowledges the many thoughts and acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown by her friends and the city of Greenbelt during this time of our deep loss and sorrow. Eileen would have appreciated this also.

The Labukas Family

### Bay Festival Promotes Fun, Hands on Learning

Maryland Governor William Donald Schaefer today announced the state's third annual Party on the Bay, a 24-day festival celebrating the beauty and restoration of the Chesapeake Bay, is set for August 9-31.

Children can attend stream walks, explore ponds, and attend Maryland's first Children's Concert For The Chesapeake at Pier Six. All of this is in an effort to draw more people to the shores of the Bay to learn their role in the restoration effort.

PARTY ON THE BAY features crab feasts, fishing tournaments, boat races, canoe jousts, and more for people to enjoy. At each PARTY ON THE BAY event, citizens can get involved in hands-on environmental games and activities to learn how to help restore the Bay.

For information on the more than 30 statewide parties, call 1-800-395-7003.

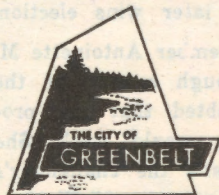
### HLEP!

The News Review needs help with its Wednesday nit proof-reading sessions. If you can spot the mistakes, in this add and can give at least to hours, one nite a month, we need you. This is a volunteer job with only nominal pay.

Call 441-2662 or 474-8483 to volunteer, please

### Subscriptions and Deadline Information

MAIL SUBSCRIPTIONS: \$30 per year. Advertising and news articles may be mailed (Box 68, Greenbelt); deposited in our box at the Greenbelt Co-op grocery store before 7 p.m. Tuesday or delivered to the editorial office in the basement of 15 Parkway (474-4131). The office is open Monday from 2-4 and 8-10 pm for display advertising; deadline is 10 pm. News articles and classified ads are accepted Monday from 2-4 and 8-10 pm and Tuesday from 8-10 pm.



### The City of Greenbelt

is now accepting applications for the following part-time positions at the new Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center slated to open this fall:

- \* Lifeguards
- \* Pool Operators
- \* Cashiers
- \* Water Safety Instructors
- \* Water Aerobics Instructors
- \* Clerical Positions

Call 474-6878 for more information. EOE.

### Postmaster Transferred

On July 17 Janice Hobson, of Solomons, Md., was appointed officer in charge, a temporary assignment, at the Greenbelt Post Office. She replaces Franklin Ford, who had been postmaster for 10 years. Ford was transferred to another location following an incident with an employee on Friday, July 12. The employee, Lisa Wiggs, was also transferred.

According to USPS spokesman Rod Sallay in a conversation on Friday, July 26, the incident is being investigated.

Postal employees at Greenbelt supported Wiggs in her effort to be returned to the Greenbelt office. They presented a petition on July 29 for postal authorities signed by 36 fellow workers. The petitioners requested "... the immediate reinstatement back to Greenbelt of Lisa Wiggs, part-time flexible clerk. ... Our clerks are now short-staffed daily, resulting in considerable unnecessary overtime."

According to Shop Steward David Kremnitzer, Wiggs was expected to return to work on Wednesday, July 31.

### GHI Notes

Blood pressure will be taken between 2 and 4 p.m. in the board room on Wednesday, August 7.

The A & E Committee will meet on Wednesday, August 7, at 7:30 p.m. in the board room.

The next board meeting will be on Thursday, August 8 at 8 p.m. Members are always welcome.

### Wildflower Walks

Join a Park Ranger at Greenbelt Park, a unit of the National Park Service, for a one-hour walk to observe wildflowers. Learn the folklore and uses of the many different wildflower species that grow in Greenbelt Park. Meet at the entrance to the campground at 1 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays in August. For information call 344-3948.



### CITY OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND NOTICE OF POSITION VACANCY

**Building Maintenance Worker I:** Starting salary \$16,203.20 (\$7.79/hr) plus full city benefits. To provide custodial services in City buildings including sweeping, mopping, waxing floors, cleaning restrooms, windows, etc. Must have ability to withstand prolonged standing, stooping, pushing; ability to move and lift heavy cleaning supplies. Must have valid Maryland Drivers License. Apply: City Offices, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland. 345-7203. EOE. Women and Minorities encouraged to apply.

### INTRODUCING



## The Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center



Greenbelt is taking fun and exercise to a whole new level this year in its new indoor pool opening this September. Just imagine being able to plunge into water year round in our new competition pool with a separate leisure pool. Or, just shift gears and relax in a 24 person jacuzzi and unwind after a long day's work.

Times will be set aside tailored especially for you whether it be lap swimming, classes, open swimming, swim team or even rentals.

### ADMISSION PLANS

GREENBELT RESIDENTS			
SEASON PASS	Annual	9-Months	Summer
Family	\$270.00	\$205.00	\$135.00
Individual (3-61 yrs.)	130.00	100.00	65.00
Senior (62 yrs. & over)	65.00	50.00	35.00
DAILY ADMISSION	Summer	Winter	
Adult (18 - 61 yrs.)	\$3.00	\$2.50	
Child (3-17 yrs.)	1.75	1.25	
Senior (62 yrs. & over)	1.75	1.25	
NON-RESIDENTS			
SEASON PASS	Annual	9-Months	Summer
Family	\$325.00	\$275.00	\$195.00
Individual (3-61 yrs.)	180.00	140.00	100.00
Senior (62 yrs. & over)	130.00	100.00	70.00
DAILY ADMISSION	Summer	Winter	
Adult (18-61 yrs.)	\$3.50	\$3.00	
Child (3-17 yrs.)	2.25	1.75	
Senior (62 yrs. & over)	2.25	1.75	

You will have the opportunity to see this new aquatic facility during the Labor Day weekend AND purchase your passes at the same time.

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**1991 Greenbelt Little League Champs**  
Coaches: left, Sam Scarpelli; center, manager Greg Fisanich; right, Joe Fulton. Third row: B. Curley, B. Gardes, C. Carter, S. Scarpelli, M. Berard. Second row: R. Newkirk, J. O'Reilly, J. Willoughby, M. Gunter, B. Barber. First row: D. Means, M. Cherry, B. White, B. Young, J. Allen, S. Blais.

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### Indians Are Champs

The Indians became Little League Champs last week by defeating the Athletics, two games to none. In Wednesday's game the Indians got 13 runs on 19 hits, while the A's had eight runs on four hits.

Thursday's game, a pitchers' duel, was closer, 6 to 4. Indian pitcher Chris Carter struck out 15 while giving up only 5 hits. A's pitcher Robbie Arteman struck out 12 while yielding 12 hits.

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## BALLOT

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lution in itself," printing brochures and mass mailings.

Roberts disputed Weidenfeld's "level field" claim. He said that a newcomer with 100 signs has 10 times the name recognition as he or she would with 10 signs, regardless of how many more the incumbents have. This comment was, in turn, disputed by Isaacs.

Not all the citizens opposed the idea. Eunice Coxon praised the attempt to reduce pollution. Dorothy Pyles said that "for once" she had to defend council for doing what many citizens want them to do.

Roy Dahl admitted that he doesn't really like the signs, door knocking and phone calling he has done and been the target of during past elections. However, he said, "If we get rid of all the things that everybody hates about an election, nobody is going to even know that there was an election."

### Poll Workers

On another 4-1 vote, this time with Weidenfeld opposed, council approved a motion that poll workers must stay at least 300 feet away from the entrances of all polling places during city elections. The council members acknowledged that this restriction would largely eliminate poll workers.

The motion grew from another suggestion by Isaacs, concerned about complaints that citizens on their way to vote were being harassed by campaign workers. Weidenfeld felt that enforcement of the current 100-foot limit or establishing some means of "safe passage" for voters would meet citizens needs while protecting the rights of the campaign workers. He said that poll working is part of election tradition and should be permitted so long as voters are not harassed.

White countered that the current 100-foot limit is not working and that the real issue is the relative freedom voters should have in exercising their right to vote.



**GREENBELT**

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## 1991 Daily Summer Children's Classes

The fourth and final registration of the 1991 Daily Summer Children's Classes, will be held on Saturday, August 3rd, 9 am - 11 am and Monday, August 5th, 9:30 am - 10:30 am at the Greenbelt Youth Center. This is an in-person registration on a first come, first serve basis only. By phone, registrations accepted 11:30 - 12 noon on a space available basis only on Monday, August 5th. Classes will be held Tuesday through Friday for two weeks beginning Tuesday, August 6th. If classes are cancelled due to inclement weather they will NOT be made up.

ACTIVITIES	TIME / AGE	FEES	
		Resident	Non-Resident
Archery	10:30a 8-15 yrs.	\$15	\$20
Arts & Crafts	2:30p 3- 5 yrs.	FREE	FREE
	2:00p 6-12 yrs.	FREE	FREE
Chucks & Lassies - Tue & Thu	10:30a 6-12 yrs.	FREE	FREE
Group games. Physical Fitness			
Program for Boys and Girls			
Gymnastics	1:45p 3- 5 yrs.	\$15	\$20
	2:30p 6-12 yrs.	\$15	\$20
Tennis	9:30a 8 & Over	\$15	\$20

### SWIMMING LESSONS

ONLY GREENBELT RESIDENTS AND NON-RESIDENT PASS HOLDERS ARE ELIGIBLE TO REGISTER ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 3RD. NON-RESIDENTS WITHOUT PASSES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON SPACE AVAILABLE BASIS ONLY ON MONDAY, AUGUST 5TH.

Aqua Babies	11:30a 6-18 mos	\$20	\$25
Aqua Tots Beginners	10:45a 18mo-5yrs	\$20	\$25
Aqua Tots Advanced	10:00a 18mo-5yrs	\$20	\$25
Each child must be accompanied by someone 18 yrs. or over in all Aqua Lessons.			
Beginners, Advanced Beginners,			
Intermediate, Swimmers scheduled			
on program availability	5 yrs. & Over	\$20	\$25

### ADULT - JUST FOR THE HEALTH OF IT

Businessmen's Lunch/Lap Swimming Swim			
Tuesday thru Friday 7-8am &	16 & Over	\$40/season or	\$2.00/day
12 noon-12:50pm			

### FREE GREENBELT SENIOR MONDAY SWIM PARTY

Fun and fitness program — lap swimming, water exercise, deck walking, socializing and pot luck lunches. Mondays, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm. Non-Residents, \$1.00/per day.



## Thomas E. Schreiber, Sr.

Thomas E. Schreiber, Sr., 71, died on July 24, in Lansdale, Pennsylvania. As a resident of Greenbelt from the fall of 1977 to December of 1990, Tom was an active Greenbelter.

Tom came to Greenbelt for the first time from Bladensburg when he designed and built the set for the April 1975 Grenoble Theater Guild production of "I Remember Mama," which was directed by his wife, Angela and presented his daughter, Angela, in the role of Dagmar. Soon after he moved to Greenbelt and became a member of St. Hugh's choir, singing tenor until his illness.

Tom remained active with the Grenoble Theater Guild as it moved its productions from St. Hugh's Church to St. Hugh's School and in its next "incarnation" as the Greenbelt Players performed in Greenbelt Center School. In November 1979 Tom became a charter member and was on the founding Board of Directors of the Greenbelt Cultural Arts Center.

From March 1980, with the opening of the first theatrical production at the Utopia theater of "Wait Until Dark" until May of 1988's closing production of "Ten Little Indians," Tom designed, fashioned, built and/or dressed the sets of the majority of GAC's productions. His ability to create theatrical illusion from almost nothing captured the imagination of all who worked with him, enrapturing audience and actors alike in the cleverness of his designs. One of his favorite and most outstanding designs was the multi-level set he crafted for "Diary of Anne Frank" which starred his daughter, Angela, in the title role. Tom served on the Board of Directors of the Greenbelt Arts Center until his last illness.

Tom was also a member of the Senior Citizens Task Force in 1988 which led to the formation of the Senior Citizens Advisory Committee. He attended evening art classes sponsored by Prince Georges Community College at Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

He is survived by his wife, Angela, of New York City, Thomas Jr. of Lansdale, Pa., Janet of Herndon, Va., Michael of Germantown, Md., Christopher of Greenbelt, Angela Querry of Centerville, Va. and Yvonne of Edmonston, N.Y., seven grandchildren, and two sisters.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on July 29 at St.

Bernard's Church in Riverdale. Memorial contributions in his name may be made to Pathfinder Village c/o Yvonne Schreiber, Box 32-A, Edmonston, N.Y. 13335.



Thomas E. Schreiber

### Nominations Solicited

The College Park Business and Professional Women (BPW) is soliciting nominations for the Woman of the Year and Employer of the Year Programs.

Area civic organizations are invited to choose a woman who has made outstanding achievement in her career; contributions to their communities; assistance to other women in their advancement; educational development and provided guidance to youth and young career women.

Also to be honored is an area employer who meets the following criteria: fosters equal opportunities for employment of women workers, provides upward mobility and additional training for women, exhibits sensitivity to the needs of women workers, and provides support for dependent care.

These women will be honored at the regular meeting of the College Park BPW on October 14 at the Holiday Inn in College Park, during the National Business Women's Week. Call Pat Thornberg at 572-4256 for more information and nomination packets.

## Olive E. Mullen

Greenbelt pioneer Olive E. Mullen, age 89, died July 18. She was among the first 25 families to move to Greenbelt in 1938.

Surviving are her daughter Lorraine Nuzzo, son-in-law Albert J. Nuzzo, Sr. of 12 Court, Ridge Road, two grandsons and three great-grandchildren.

### Volunteers Needed

The CARELINE program has been developed to help families with children who are home alone after school. Each afternoon children phone the CARELINE Listener to report that they are home and safe. Volunteers are needed at the Mental Health Association's Largo Office to give one afternoon a week from 2 to 4:30 p.m.

A workshop for CARELINE Listeners will be held on August 17 in Lanham.

To volunteer contact the Prince Georges Volunteer Action Center at 779-9444.

### Domestic Violence Is Dinner Topic

Kinaya Coleman Sokoya, executive director of the Family Crisis Center will be the guest speaker at the August 12 meeting of the College Park Business and Professional Women's Organization. It will be held at the Holiday Inn, 10000 Baltimore Avenue, College Park at 6:30 p.m. Kinaya Sokoya's topic will be "Domestic Violence—Support and Advice for Victims of Abuse."

For further information and reservations, contact Gerri Green at 301-441-2662.

### Women's Assistance

Women who have lost their major source of income through separation, divorce, death or disability of their spouse are eligible to participate in the Career Path Program at no cost. The program includes career/job search workshops, stress management, assertiveness training, a discussion group, and short term individual/group counseling.

Classes begin August 12. Call New Ventures Counseling Center, Displaced Homemaker Program, Bowie, on 464-2622.

## Multicultural Education Conference at Roosevelt

The Office of Equity Assurance of the Prince Georges County Public Schools, is sponsoring "A Multicultural Education Conference for Parents" on Wednesday, August 7 from 5-9 p.m. and on Saturday, August 10 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Both workshops will be held at Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

The conference is designed to inform parents of the multicultural education initiatives being implemented throughout the curriculum. Additionally, it is designed to provide parents with methods of supporting and enhancing multicultural instruction with their children at home.

Interpreters for the deaf, and for Spanish and Korean speakers will be provided upon request. Child care services for children ages 3 to 8, and alternative activities for 9 to 12 year olds will also be provided upon request.

Parents requesting child-care services or interpreter services are asked to register early or call the Equity Assurance Office at 301-952-6185.

### Debtors Anonymous

Anyone with anxiety about money or debts is invited to take a 12 step journey with Debtors Anonymous. The group will meet Sundays beginning August 18 from 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Step Club, 155 Centerway. For information call 474-2734 or 890-9295.

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## Golden Age Club

by Bill Boswell

The following activities are scheduled for the month of August:

Wed., Aug. 7, Board of Directors meeting, followed by the business meeting. Also birthday remembrances.

Wed., Aug. 14, Bill Phelan, Greenbelt Horticulturist will discuss perennials, proper placement in sun or shade, soil preparation and related topics.

Wed., Aug. 21, a film will be shown featuring the island of Maui, Hawaii.

Wed., Aug. 28, member Jim Maher will conduct the first of a series on home improvements, additions, etc.

Thurs., Aug. 29, trip to St. Michael's. Bus departs the Municipal Building at 8 a.m.

Several trips are also planned (contact Jim Maher at 345-7324 for details): locations include North Carolina, Glen Echo, and Cape May, New Jersey.

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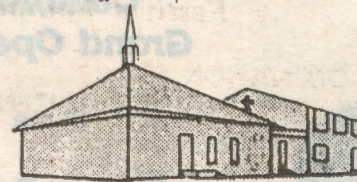
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# Festival Notes

## Outstanding Citizen

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## Miss Greenbelt Car Wash Fundraiser

Don't forget the Miss Greenbelt Car Wash, Saturday, August 3, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the Holy Cross Lutheran Church on Greenbelt Road.

## Pet Show

The 22nd Annual Children's Pet Show will be held Saturday, August 31 as part of the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival. Children and their pets will gather at 10 a.m. that day on the Center School lawn to learn which animal has been chosen as the friskiest, cutest, or best behaved. Pets with the longest whiskers, softest coat, or most colorful shell are also certain winners. All kinds, sizes and types of pets are welcome. All dogs must be on a leash; other pets should be caged as appropriate. For more information contact Ray Smith, 474-6127.

## Talent and Variety

A singing group, a dance ensemble, and a band are among the groups of performers appearing in this year's Talent and Variety Show. There is time in this hour-long program for additional acts of all types by performers of all ages. Call Cheri Gainor for information 441-8589.

## Labor Day Art Show Moves to Youth Center

This year's Labor Day Festival Art Show will move to a new location—the Youth Center—because it has outgrown its usual venue, the City Council Room. For the first time, the show will run for three days rather than two.

For each of the past two years, the number of entries has grown by more than 15 percent. For the first time, fine crafts will be exhibited along with paintings, prints, drawings and sculpture. Tentative hours are Saturday, Aug. 31, from 1-6 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 1, from 1-7 p.m., and on Labor Day from 1-6 p.m.

Children and young adults are especially encouraged to enter their creations, according to Barbara Simon and Nancy DePachett, chair and vice-chair of the Greenbelt Arts Coalition, which will cosponsor (with the

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Labor Day Festival Committee) the show for the first time.

Open to anyone living in Greenbelt or working or going to school in Greenbelt, the art show will exhibit adult works in the adult multi-purpose room of the Youth Center, while the children's works will be shown in the arts and crafts room downstairs. All entries must be pre-registered to be included. Interested citizens should send in the application form to be printed in the August 15 issue of the News Review.

Entries will be judged and prizes awarded on Saturday morning. All children who enter will receive a certificate of participation.

"The Labor Day Art Show has always been a popular event with both artists and the public," explains Simon, "and the Arts Coalition expects this interest to grow as the community becomes more involved with the many arts uses contemplated for the community center to be created at Center School."

## At the Library

Wednesday, August 7, 2 p.m. Summer Quest offers Cartooning for Kids aged 6-12 with Jim Sizemore. Children should bring their own pad and markers.

Thursday, August 8, 11 a.m. Drop-In Storytime for ages 3-5.



Electric Sky is a local band which will perform classic rock and their own compositions on the Festival Stage during the 1991 Labor Day Festival. Pictured clockwise Tom Komenka, Mike Proctor, Kurt Lohman, and John Gillespie.

## Events at Goddard

There will be a model rocket launch on Sunday, August 4 at 1 p.m. on the grounds of the Goddard Visitor Center. The Visitor Center is at the Soil Conservation Road entrance.



Talent show performer sings in the 1989 Labor Day Talent Show. — photo by Joe Polanin

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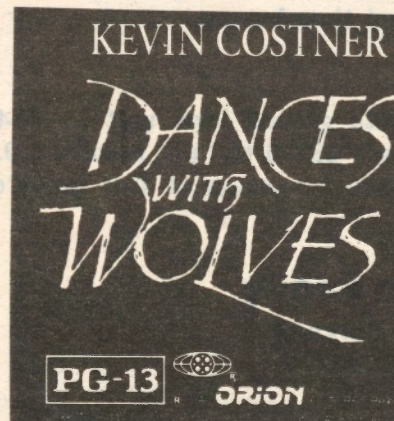
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## Hiker-Biker Trail Proposed by County

The Prince Georges Planning Board today approved a feasibility study proposed by County Executive Parris Glendening to convert the unused Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis (WB&A) rail line to a hiker-biker trail. The new trail would run from Lanham through Bowie and into Anne Arundel County.

This trail would then become the Prince Georges link in the American Discovery Hiking Trail that is planned to run from San Francisco to Delaware. The six-mile Prince Georges portion also will be a link in another East-West National Trail and a Maine-to-Florida Trail. In addition to recreation, the trail will be a valuable alternative for commuters. It will ultimately connect with Metrorail and with other trails leading to Washington, Baltimore, and Annapolis.

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## Boys & Girls Club Baseball

by Jeff Keir

The Greenbelt Boys & Girls Club's 15-year-old boys baseball team had a 5-1 spurt in July to end the season with an 8-7 record. The lone loss in that period was a 6-3 loss to league champs, Marlboro. It was a strong ending to a fun season.

Leading the 15-year-old team was Randy Burchick with a .375 batting average and a .500 on-base percentage, with 12 hits, including a triple and two home runs. He also had 8 walks, 11 RBIs, 12 runs scored and 10 stolen bases. On the fielding side, Randy had a team-leading 25 assists and pitched in 10 games, 26 2/3 innings.

Teammate Ricky Cato led the team with 13 walks that gave him a .560 on-base percentage. Also, Ricky led the team with 28 put-outs playing first and third base.

Richard Cunningham had a .375 on-base percentage and 8 stolen bases. Richard, playing a solid second base, led the team with a .938 fielding percentage. Steve Durity tied Ricky with the most walks with 13 and had a .833 fielding percentage playing a good center field.

Greg Hunanian was second on the team in total bases with 11 that included a double and two triples. Greg had 11 fielding assists with a .826 fielding percentage. Greg played several positions well — pitcher, catcher, shortstop and second base. Ray Ikley had an on-base percentage of .333 with 4 stolen bases and, playing first and outfield positions, had 12 put-outs and a .886 fielding average.

Chris Kim, one of three players to play in all games, had a .381 on-base percentage and 4 stolen bases. Man Nguyen, the player the other team feared most when he got on, with a .345 batting average, a .472 on-base percentage, led the team with 15 stolen bases. Man also had 8 RBIs and 12 runs scored.

Mike Schwan led the team in a category that hurts—hit batsman, with two. Mike had an on-base percentage of .500, scored 10 runs and played a solid third base. Marc Sclawy had 10 walks and a .435 on-base percentage. Marc came in second with 22 put-outs and a .920 fielding average, playing catcher and

first base.

John Yearous played in 11 games, playing outfield, having 6 assists in 8 fielding chances. John put out probably the best effort of anyone on the team.

Also playing on the team were three players who were brought up from the 14 and under team after that team's season ended: Brian Doss who had a .467 batting average with two triples; Buddy Humphreys who had a .727 batting average with a home run and 6 stolen bases; and Jason Tanner who played in only one game. Buddy led the 15-year-old team in ERA and had 21 strike-outs in 14 innings pitched.

### Concert at the Lake

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After performing, each group will receive a public tour of the White House and a Presidential Certificate by mail.

Interested groups should contact the National Park Service music coordinator, Jennifer Gresham at 202-755-7798 v/TTY or write to President's Park, 1100 Ohio Drive, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20242.



by Linda Savaryn 474-5285

Condolences to Christopher Schreiber and family on the death of his father, Thomas E. Schreiber, Sr.

Our sympathy to Lorraine Nuzo and family on the death of her mother. Greenbelt pioneer Olive E. Mullen.

Condolences also to Marilyn Sellman, teacher in the after school program and substitute teacher at Center School whose mother died last Thursday.

Charlene M. Lagerwerff has been selected for the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC's) engineer-in-training program. This program was established to enhance the recruitment and retention of engineers at the agency. After completing her six month training at the Com-

mission's Field Operations Bureau Training Center in Norfolk, Lagerwerff may be assigned to one of the FCC's offices in Washington, or around the country. She graduated from the University of Maryland in June.

Drs. Clayton S. and James H. (Jay) McCarl both received the Academy of General Dentistry's prestigious Fellowship Award during a special ceremony at AGD's annual meeting, July 15, in Orlando. To earn this award, dentists must complete more than 500 hours of continuing education within 10 years and pass the fellowship exam. Both dentists practice dentistry here with their father and cousin.

Paul Felsher, son of Albert and Rosemary Felsher, has received his PhD in Experimental Nuclear Physics from Duke University. Paul and his wife Nena will be moving near Boulder, CO, where Paul has accepted a position in computational physics at E.G. & G. Rocky Flats, Inc. Congratulations!

Rumonda Smith, daughter of Mamie L. Taylor, has been awarded an academic honors scholarship to attend Chowan College in North Carolina for the 1991-92 academic year. Smith, an ERHS graduate, is a sophomore at Chowan College majoring in graphic communications. She was also selected by the graphics department faculty as the recipient of the George I. Alden Scholarship, which is presented to graphics students on the basis of merit and academics.

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## Children Have Fun Learning

by Robert Levine

Camp Sunshine is a program funded by the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission (M-NCP-PC) and run by the Greenbelt Recreation Department for children ages three to five. Its purpose, according to a brochure by Camp Sunshine counselor Patti Myers, is to "create an environment conducive to play and stimulating for good speech and language." The camp's goals are to help children develop appropriate expression of feelings, improved listening skills, improved ability to follow directions, and increased social skills.

The camp opened on June 24 and consists of six one-week sessions from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Greenbelt Center Elementary School. There is a fee.

Special events, such as face painting or puppet shows, take place every Tuesday and Fridays, field trips on Thursday and swimming at Greenbelt Municipal Pool twice a week. Campers have also visited the National Zoo and gone bumper bowling.

A typical day at Camp Sunshine begins with free play. On the day this reporter attended, most preferred Legos or toy cars. One child held up a multi-colored Lego configuration and asked another child, "Where's the blue?" The other child pointed at the blue block. The first child then took his creation apart and built a new one.

### Other Activities

Afterwards, the children sat in a circle on the floor and Myers and fellow counselor Carin Howerton announced the day's theme — Valentine's Day. The counselor asked the children to name someone they love and the unanimous choice was one or both of their parents. Then the children listened to and sang "Skidamirink," a children's song about love.

During the arts and crafts period, the children made cards for their parents out of construction paper and the counselors wrote messages on the cards dictated to them by the children. The children also made designs by pressing paper on aluminum foil smeared with melted crayon. They sang two children's songs — "Reach for the Sky" and "Little Cabin in the Woods" — and acted them out with pantomime-like gestures.

For the sports activities the counselors took the children outside to the grassy area between Center School and Crescent Road. They formed a circle and lifted a parachute and then ducked under it as it came down. Then, they "made popcorn," by placing foam balls on the parachute and shaking it up and down. Finally, as they raised the parachute, one of the counselors called the name of a child who was to run across the circle of people before the parachute fell.

### After Lunch

After lunch, camp was reconvened in Therapeutic Recreation worker Karen Haisley's office (an exterminator was due at Center School) where they held a "carnival," the special event of the day. First, children tossed a tennis ball through a hole in a rectangular wooden board. Next, with balloons tied to their ankles, each child tried to pop someone else's balloon; the child left with his or her balloon un-popped was the winner.

Then other events included throwing a foam ball through a mini-basketball hoop, a ring toss, and for the final event, counselors arranged plastic cups on a table and the children, seated around the table, had to toss a quarter into one of the cups. Each child received a small toy

after each event. The children then decorated cookies by making faces on them with frosting, gumdrops, M&M's, and other candy, and then took them home to eat. The day ended with a chorus of "Bingo" and "Old MacDonald Had a Farm."

Morale was high for the most part; the children enjoyed the camp. Although the children were encouraged to have fun, the counselors reminded them why they were there. Whenever a child would start whimpering for something, Myers or Howerton would intone, "Use your words, don't whine." One particularly beleaguered little girl refrained from whining or crying and was continually yelling "Stop!" to those who bothered her. Camp Sunshine puts fun into teaching children to interact and communicate with others.

## Recreation Review

### Women's Flag Football

The Greenbelt Women's Flag Football league is open to all teams on a first-come, first-served basis with priority going to resident teams. Play will begin the middle of September.

### Summer Playgrounds

The summer playgrounds will officially close on Friday, August 2, at noon.

### Adult Co-ed Soccer League

The Adult Co-ed Soccer League is open to all teams on a first-come, first-served basis with priority going to resident teams. Sanctioned officials are provided. For fee and league information, call 474-6878.

### Discount Amusement Park Tickets

The Rec. Depart. is selling discount tickets to Kings Dominion, Hershey Park, Wild World, Busch Gardens, Dorney Park, Great Adventure, and Sesame Place.

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# GHI Picks Woodland Committee Discusses Landfill and Easement

by Leslie Robinson

The Greenbelt Homes Inc. (GHI) Board of Directors met the evening of Thursday, July 18 on its once-a-month summer schedule. Members of the Ad Hoc Woodlands Committee were chosen, the Audit Committee made a number of suggestions to GHI management and to the board, the Architecture and Environment (A&E) Committee reported on greenways and the GHI house and garden contest. In the absence of Board Chair, Wayne Williams, Board member Ray McCawley presided.

## Woodlands Committee

The board appointed six members to serve on the Ad Hoc Woodlands Committee: William Calderhead, Keith Jahoda, Carole Levin, Bill Phelan, Robert Rashkin, and Bill Wilkerson. The chair of the committee, board member Alan Freas, had been selected previously.

The committee was formed in response to a motion during the annual membership meeting in May to study the pros and cons of GHI's granting an easement to the Maryland Environmental Trust on 82.5 acres of woodland currently under a State forestry management plan. The acreage is made up of a number of small parcels of land in and around the GHI homes.

The first meeting of the committee will be advertised in the News Review. It probably will be during the first or second week in August. The board has authorized a paid recording secretary for this committee.

Chair Alan Freas is a retired U.S. Department of Agriculture

(USDA) Forest Service employee. Keith Jahoda, who is active in several environmental organizations including the Committee to Save the Green Belt (CSGB), is a systems engineer at NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center. William Calderhead, a historian, teaches at the University of Maryland. Robert Rashkin, another environmental activist and CSGB member, is a physicist at NASA and a member of the A&E Committee. Bill Phelan is the horticulturist for the City of Greenbelt. Bill Wilkerson is an urban planner for the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission (MNCPPC) and vice chair of the city's Advisory Planning Board. Carole Levin is a researcher for USDA.

Jahoda and Rashkin were two of the 10 signers of the petition that placed the woodlands issue on the agenda at the annual membership meeting in May.

## Audit Committee Report

Virginia Moryadas of the Audit Committee read a report on the committee's scrutiny of GHI.

Board members were reminded to keep a copy of "Robert's Rules of Order" on hand at all meetings. The committee suggested to the board that during meetings a motion be made prior to the discussion, not at the end of the discussion as is done now.

The staff of GHI was asked to improve the minutes of the meetings. In a wide ranging quest for information, the committee urged Ron Colton, GHI General Manager, to produce more information on GHI's aging population. The committee was interested in the idea that GHI might design and provide "social/daycare programs for older members."

The committee audited work

tickets completed by GHI employees and found them insufficient to identify trends in maintenance jobs. The committee felt that if such trends could be rooted out, it might be cheaper to renovate in mass rather than repair individual items, over and over.

The committee was curious about what kinds of services were now being provided in the fee-for-service program. The committee report suggested that it might be cost effective to hire a staff whose sole function would be to handle fee-for-service contracts.

As a result of a very hot and stuffy GHI annual meeting in May 1991 at which the sound system didn't amplify much, together with criticism by member Eunice Coxon, the Audit Committee made the following recommendations: provide ice water and cups, provide a working sound system, and pay a timekeeper and a parliamentarian to attend. The committee also recommended that the board appoint Coxon and Evelyn Feller to select the site for the 1992 annual meeting.

McCawley thanked Moryadas for the report. The board took no action at this meeting.

## A&E Committee Reports

Jim Maher, chair of the A&E Committee, announced the results of the recent house and garden contest for GHI homes. All those that entered received a prize. Special awards went to the unit with the best outward appearance, the unit with the best interior, and the unit with the best overall appearance. The results will appear in the News Review.

Rashkin presented a written report on a May 30 meeting of the planning board of MNCPPC on greenways. Several Greenbelt residents spoke of the need to link the trails south of Greenbelt Road with the Greenbelt trail system and with the new Metro site near Capital Office Park. They also asked for a trail system to link Prince Georges County with Montgomery Coun-

ty.

Colton's Manager's Memorandum pointed out that MNCPPC might be in a position to help the greenways along because it had a planned budget increase of eight percent as a result of a five-cent increase in the real estate tax.

## Additions and Improvements

A GHI member couldn't wait for a County building permit or for GHI approval to erect a deck on the garden side of her unit because her brother agreed to build the deck on his vacation. Permits and GHI approval did not arrive before the vacation, and the deck was built without them! The member now wants to make the deck into a screened porch.

After due deliberation the board decided that it was all right to build the porch, provided the County building permit was received and final approval was given by the staff of GHI.

The board approved a one-story addition with a sundeck. The addition will be on a masonry home and it will have a long sloping roof with several skylights.

The contract for the installation of vinyl siding on block homes was given a second reading. Out of 54 members expressing an interest in siding, 34 are now firmly committed. Construction will begin in the next two weeks.

Colton reported some good news for GHI members interested in financing improvements. His office has been working with the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union to reduce the cost of obtaining home equity loans. As now planned, the Credit Union will make fixed rate loans of up to \$7,000 for a maximum of five years. Application fees and closing costs will be waived.

In the storm door program, 17 doors have been hung by the private contractor. About 30 doors remain to be installed, according to Joe Whalen, Director of Maintenance.

## GHI Landfill

The GHI landfill of less than one acre behind GHI headquarters has received concept approval from the Prince Georges Storm Water Management Division. A silt fence has been installed. A grading permit must be secured next. Some action on

this landfill should begin after school starts this fall. GHI must submit its plan to five offices in the county government and to the City of Greenbelt.

## Not a Straight Flush

The board paid careful attention to a proposal to grant the Prince Georges Board of Education an easement for maintenance or replacement of a sewer line that crosses four feet of GHI property near the North End School. It was not a routine vote, but a contest.

As put by board member Donald Comis, the easement might be traded for "leverage" to force the Board of Education to make some kind of concession for the land the Board staked out well inside of the back fences on what members had long regarded as their yards abutting North End School property. (GHI had not discouraged residents from expanding their yards into wooded areas.)

Connie Houchens, one of the property owners whose garden-side yard is now much smaller, said to the board—"You sold me a yard that was school property." She threatened to sue.

Several others spoke against granting the easement, if for no other reason than to "teach the school board a lesson." When it came to a vote, it was three board members for and three against. McCawley broke the tie by voting to grant the easement. John Taylor abstained.

## Curbside Trash

In many cities curbside is the place for trash, but not in GHI. Stated plainly in the GHI Handbook, but buried in the third paragraph of "D. Trash and Garbage Collection," under "VI. GHI Members as Citizens of Greenbelt," under "Part I—Member Information" is the following:

"Special pick-ups for large pieces of furniture, mattresses, tree trimmings, packing boxes, etc., may be arranged by telephoning the City Office (474-8004). Any trash, even cuttings, is not permitted to be placed along the street, court, or public areas."

The board and staff deliberated a full 30 minutes on the problem. Testimony by the staff established that nothing seemed to slow the curbside trash gremlins. Signs didn't work. Trees and shrubs planted to beautify the trash areas simply caused the gremlins to dump nearby. Pictures and publicity failed.

The staff is preparing a letter to be sent to the offending courts where the trash gremlins live.

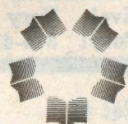
## Woodman Spare That Tree

Board member John Mongelli looked out his window recently and received quite a shock. A tree that he had admired in a neighbor's yard had vanished. On questioning by board members, Manager Colton said that GHI was responsible. He said that he may have made the wrong call, but the member who complained about the tree in his yard was very old. He complained to GHI Management about the leaves from the tree that filled his gutters.

Colton posed that maybe in the future he should first consult with the board before he approved the cutting down of a tree in GHI.

## Other

Several owners received permission to sublease their units. The vote was not always unanimous. Board member Betty Deitch posed the question—"Doesn't it seem that this is becoming a rental community?"



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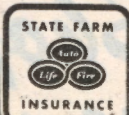
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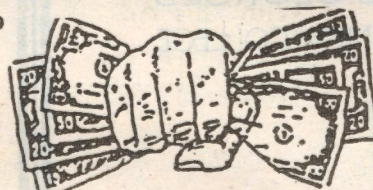
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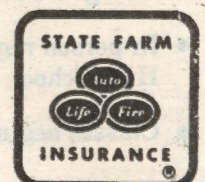
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# POLICE BLOTTER

## Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

Around 1:30 a.m. on July 20 two nonresident males were robbed at gunpoint in a parking lot in the 7500 block of Greenbelt Rd. Three men approached them, demanded their wallets, then fled west on Greenbelt Rd. in a dark blue or black late '70s Datsun or Toyota, with license plates beginning with FDY, state unknown. The suspects are described thus: (1) black, early 30s, 6'2", 170 lbs., black hair, thin mustache, a small amount of hair on chin, wearing blue jeans and a dark red polo shirt, and armed with a 2" blue steel revolver with white grips; (2) black, late 20s, 5'10", 160 lbs., black hair with a receding hair line, dark complexion, wearing dark-colored slacks and a green shirt; (3) black, mid-20s, 6'0", 175 lbs., mustache and goatee, wearing a plaid shirt and black "parachute" pants with zippers.

### Robberies

Around 4:45 a.m. on July 21 High's Dairy Store in Roosevelt Center was robbed of a small amount of cash and the cashier's watch by a man with a locking blade knife. The person is described as male, black, 35-40 years old, 5'2", 135 lbs., wearing a white shirt.

As a woman was walking to her residence in the 7800 block of Hanover Pkwy, around 11:30 p.m. on July 23, a man came up behind her, pushed her, grabbed her purse, and then ran towards Eleanor Roosevelt High School. He is described as black, 24 years old, 5'9", 160 lbs, muscular build, black hair, wearing a white shirt and black or dark blue shorts.

Around 12:30 p.m. on July 19, a woman was robbed of her wallet in a parking lot in the 7500 block of Greenbelt Rd.: She had been sitting in the passenger seat asked her to help him look for his lost keys. She got out of the vehicle to help him look. While she was looking for the keys, the thief took her wallet from her purse and ran away. He is described as black, 35-40 years old, 6'0", 190 lbs., wearing a gray shirt.

### Indecent Exposure

As a woman returned to her residence in the 7500 block of Mandan Rd. around 5:45 a.m. on July 23, she saw a nude man standing in front of her home shining a flashlight on himself. She ran inside and then observed that the man had moved to the woodline and was watching her front door. While she called the police, the man left. He is described as white, in his late 30s, 5'7", 220 lbs.

While two women were in a fenced-in playground area in the rear of the 9000 block of Breeze-wood Terr. around 10:30 p.m. on July 22, a man approached the area carrying a flashlight and a backpack. He took off his clothes, entered the playground and picked up the keys belonging to one of the women. The owner asked him for the keys, startling him, but he did not return them, so she picked up his backpack and asked for them again. This time he grabbed her arm and pulled her to the ground, but then dropped the keys, gathered his belongings, and fled. He is described as white, around 30 years old, 5'9", 200 lbs., black hair, wearing tan shorts.

Employees on the second story of an office building in the 7500 block of Greenway Center Dr. noticed a man driving around nude

from the waist down around 3 p.m. on July 25. When he noticed them looking out the window, he stopped under the window and made no attempt to conceal himself. Then he drove around the building one more time and left the area. He is described as black, 25-30 years old, 5'5" - 5'7", 130 lbs., thin build, wearing a plaid shirt, and driving a tan Nissan.

### Assaults

On July 21 a 14-year-old nonresident was arrested in the 7100 block of Megan Lane, after he assaulted a resident there and entered another residence through an unlocked door. Known to one of the residents, he was released without charges, however, as neither victim wished to press charges.

Around 5:30 p.m. on July 22 a 10-year-old resident was shot in the back with an air rifle in the 6100 block of Springhill Terr. by two 12- or 13-year-olds, who then ran towards Springhill Dr.

### Breaking and Entering

A breaking and entering was reported at CPI Photo (6200 block of Greenbelt Rd.) on July 21. A computer system and a rack of film were taken.

A breaking and entering was reported at the Greenbelt Library on July 24. Videocassette tapes and a small amount of cash were taken.

A breaking and entering was reported at Sterling Beltway Florist on July 25. Cash was taken.

An attempted breaking and entering was reported in the 9100 block of Edmonston Rd. on July 25. Although a ground floor window was broken, entry apparently not gained.

A wallet was reported stolen from the inside of a desk drawer in an office suite in the 7500 block of Greenway Dr. on July 23.

Around 5:45 p.m. on July 19 two nonresident teenagers assaulted ushers who tried to stop them from sneaking into the AMC 6 Theaters (Beltway Plaza). Both were arrested.

Around 10:15 a.m. on July 20 two people tried to get into Bally's Holiday Fitness Center with invalid membership cards. When the receptionist refused to return the cards, one of them attempted to retrieve them, battering the receptionist. Investigation is continuing.

### Arrests

After being stopped for a traffic violation in the 6000 block of Springhill Dr. on July 19, a driver spat at the officer who stopped him and then hit the officer in the chest while the officer was trying to arrest him for assault. The driver, a 19-year-old resident male, was eventually arrested for assault, battery, and resisting arrest. An 18-year-old nonresident male was arrested for possession of controlled dangerous substance paraphernalia (a mari-

juana pipe) in the 6000 block of Greenbelt Rd. on July 24.

### Vehicles

On July 21 an 18-year-old resident male was arrested for tampering with a motor vehicle after he was seen by his neighbors tampering with their vehicles in the 7200 block of South Ora Court.

On July 12 a 1986 Isuzu was reported stolen from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Rd.; it was later recovered. On July 22 a gray 1988 Toyota Camry, MD tags WKS 379, was reported stolen from the parking lot of Beltway Plaza.

Vandalism to, thefts from and attempted thefts of autos were reported in the following areas: Beltway Plaza, the 8300 block of Canning Terr., the 6500 block of Capitol Dr., the 5800 block of Cherrywood Lane, the 7200 block of Hanover Dr., the 7700 block of Hanover Pkwy., the 6300 block of Ivy Lane, Lynbrook Court, the 7800, 7900, and 8000

## County Puts Out Call Outstanding Youth

Entries for the fifth annual Prince Georges County "Most Beautiful Youth" Awards, will be accepted until September 18. This program, held in partnership with the State's "Maryland, You Are Beautiful" campaign, honors the county's young people ages 14 to 21, for their outstanding deeds in community service and volunteerism.

Each of Maryland's 23 counties and the City of Baltimore will choose one grand winner to represent their jurisdiction at a reception and awards ceremony hosted by Governor William Donald Schaefer in Annapolis in October. For more information call (301) 952-4666.

blocks of Mandan Rd., the 7600 block of Ora Glen Dr., 54 Court Ridge Rd., 1 Court and the 100 block of Westway.



## OFFICIAL NOTICE

The following meetings have recently been scheduled by the City Council:

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| Wednesday, August 7<br>8:00 p.m. | Work Session with Macris, Hendricks and Witmer/Trace Associates on Linking Center/Community Center - Conference Room     |
| Thursday, August 15<br>8:00 p.m. | Work Session with GHI Board - Conference Room  |
| Monday, August 19<br>8:00 p.m.   | Work Session with Bowie City Council, Senator Green and Delegates re: Study of State Revenues - Bowie Municipal Building |
| Monday, August 26<br>8:00 p.m.   | Regular Council Meeting - Council Room   |

## Attention Prospective Home Buyers

Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI), one of the largest and most established housing cooperatives in the country, is offering brief and informative presentations designed to introduce GHI to you. The presentation will explain what a cooperative is, how GHI operates, what services are provided to GHI members under the monthly charges, and the financing sources which are available. This information will be useful to you whether or not you purchase a GHI home. This is an ideal opportunity for persons who are considering home ownership to learn about GHI and to ask questions in a relaxed atmosphere. Let us introduce you to the cooperative lifestyle BEFORE you look for a home. The next presentations will be held on:

Monday, August 5 7:15 p.m.

Saturday, August 17 11:00 a.m.

Please call receptionist at 474-4161 for reservations and information. The sessions are free, and there is no obligation.

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